



FOURTH SEMESTER B.TECH. (E & C) DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION

APRIL/MAY 2019

SUBJECT: ANTENNAS (ECE -2201)

TIME: 3 HOURS

MAX. MARKS: 50

Instructions to candidates

- Answer **ALL** questions.
- Missing data may be suitably assumed.

- 1A. A $\lambda/2$ dipole, with total loss resistance of 1 ohm, is connected to a generator whose internal impedance $50 + j25$ ohms. Assuming that the peak voltage of the generator is 2V and the impedance of the dipole, excluding loss resistance, is $73 + j42.5$ ohms, find the power
 - a. supplied by the source(real)
 - b. radiated by the antenna
 - c. dissipated by the antenna.
- 1B. The normalized radiation intensity $U_n(\theta)$ of an antenna is symmetric, and it can be approximated by: 1 for $0^\circ \leq \theta < 30^\circ$; $\cos(\theta)/0.866$ for $30^\circ \leq \theta < 90^\circ$; 0 for $90^\circ \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ$ and it is independent of ϕ . Find the:
 - a. Exact directivity by integrating the function
 - b. Approximate Directivity using Kraus Formula
 - c. Find the maximum effective aperture area for above values, if operating frequency is 900 MHz (4+6)
- 2A. Starting from fundamentals derive the expression for fields & radiation resistance of an infinitesimal Electric dipole.
- 2B. A horizontal $\lambda/50$ infinitesimal dipole of constant current and length l is placed parallel to the y-axis a distance $h = 0.707\lambda$ above an infinite electric ground plane. Find all the nulls formed by the antenna system in the $\phi = 90^\circ$ plane. (7+3)
- 3A. Starting from fundamentals derive the expression for array factor, First Null beam width & Half power beam width for a “N” element End fire array of isotropic point sources, with uniform amplitude and spacing.
- 3B. Design a five element Dolph-Tschebyscheff array with $d = 0.5\lambda$ and side lobes which are 20 dB below the main beam. (6+4)
- 4A. For a small circular loop of constant current, starting from fundamentals, derive the expression for far fields.
- 4B. Derive vector wave equation in terms of electric vector potential and also obtain its solution. (5+5)
- 5A. Sketch current distribution in linear dipoles for: (a) $l \ll \lambda$ (b) $\lambda/2 < l < \lambda$ (c) $\lambda < l < 3\lambda/2$
- 5B. Write explanatory notes on (a) Yagi-Uda antenna (b) Microstrip antenna
- 5C. Explain Duct propagation. (3+4+3)